

WTVA TV
Tupelo, MS
October 2008 – December 2008

1. Financial

Focus with Terry Smith

Financial Markets. Terry Smith talked to several bank executives about the recent problems with banks in the economic downturn.

Air Date: 10/4/08

Duration: 30 minutes

Time: 5pm

Focus with Terry Smith

Investment Roundtable. Terry Smith talked to several financial experts about the recent problems in the stock market and how North Mississippians should respond to the economic downturn.

Air Date: 10/11/08

Duration: 30 minutes

Time: 5pm

2. Health

Focus with Terry Smith

Bariatric Surgery. Terry talked to people who have had this procedure done on them. This is a weight-loss surgical procedure. Terry Smith and his guests talked about the dangers of the surgery and the benefits.

Air Date: 10/18/08

Duration: 30 minutes

Time: 5pm

Focus with Terry Smith

Regional Rehab Center. This facility helps people with developmental disorders, hearing impairments and other issues. Terry Smith talked to the director about ways people can contribute to this non-profit facility. Also discussed the up-coming telethon on November 30 on WTVA to raise money for the facility.

Air Date: 11/15/08

Duration: 30 minutes

Time: 5pm

Focus with Terry Smith

United Blood Services. Terry talked to members of Blood Bank staff about a marathon blood donation drive for Christmas.

Air Date: 12/06/08

Duration: 30 minutes

Time: 5pm

3. Employment

Focus with Terry Smith

Job Meeting. Terry Smith talked to members of organizations who help people with disabilities find work.

Air Date: 11/8/08

Duration: 30 minutes

Time: 5pm

4. Industry

Focus with Terry Smith

Cooper Tire. Cooper Tire Inc. in Tupelo may shut down their plant due to recession. Terry Smith talked to members of community development and government leaders in Tupelo to find ways to keep the plant open.

Air Date: 11/22/08

Duration: 30 minutes

Time: 5pm

5. Fundraising

Focus with Terry Smith

Get Smart. This is a program to help raise money for various highway improvement plans in Mississippi. Terry Smith talked to key players in this program.

Air Date: 11/29/08

Duration: 30 minutes

Time: 5pm

6. Hunting

Focus with Terry Smith

Hunting Season-Law Changes. Terry talked to law enforcement officials about changes in laws concerning hunting in Mississippi.

Air Date: 12/13/08

Duration: 30 minutes

Time: 5pm

7. Government

Focus with Terry Smith

Upcoming Legislative Session. Terry talked to various members of Mississippi Legislature about the 2009 legislative session.

Air Date: 12/20/08

Duration: 30 minutes

Time: 5pm

Focus with Terry Smith

Upcoming Legislative Session-part 2. Terry talked to various members of Mississippi Legislature about the 2009 legislative session.

Air Date: 12/27/08

Duration: 30 minutes

Time: 5pm